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Applicants: Hiroyuki YAMADA et al.  
Serial No.: 08/922,318                      Group Art Unit: 3747  
Filed: September 3, 1997              Examiner: T. ARGENBRIGHT  
Title: A THROTTLE VALVE CONTROL DEVICE FOR AN INTERNAL  
COMBUSTION ENGINE

November 2, 1998

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing and the  
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Indep. Claims	6	- **	3	3 x	\$41/\$82 = <u>\$246.00</u>
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\* If less than 20, enter 20

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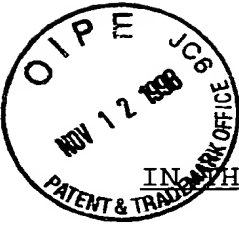
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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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The following is responsive to the Office Action dated  
October 1, 1998.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following claims:

9-10. A motor-driven type throttle valve control device for  
an internal combustion engine, comprising:

a throttle valve shaft;

a default spring for energizing said throttle valve  
shaft in the opening direction between the position of said  
default stopper and the full close position;

a return spring the force of which acts on the  
throttle valve shaft independently from said default spring, for  
energizing said throttle valve shaft in the closing direction

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